

RECOGNIZING BOXING WORLD
CHAMPION AND LAREDO NATIVE
ORLANDO CANIZALES

HON. HENRY CUELLAR

OF TEXAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, November 16, 2022

Mr. CUELLAR. Madam Speaker, today I rise to recognize Orlando Canizales, a former boxing world champion and native son of Laredo, Texas.

Born in Laredo in 1965, Mr. Canizales began boxing at the age of ten at the local Boys and Girls Club. After going 108–12 as an amateur, he turned professional in 1984. He would become one of the world's best fighters in the late 1980s to early 1990s.

In 1988, Mr. Canizales became a world champion after winning the International Boxing Federation bantamweight title, knocking out the defending titlist in the fifteenth round. He would go on to make a division record 16 title defenses. Mr. Canizales continued fighting until 1999, until he decided to hang up his gloves. He retired with a record of 50–5–1 with 37 knockouts.

Mr. Canizales was inducted into the International Boxing Hall of Fame in 2009. He gave a rousing speech in which he spoke about the life lessons that boxing had given him. "Boxing has taught me a lot in life," he said. "That dedication, discipline and determination will pay off in the long run and not to be easily swayed by obstacles and bumps in the road."

His brother, Gaby, was also a world champion. A boxing gym on Guadalupe Street in my hometown of Laredo now bears both of their names. Today, Mr. Canizales spends much of his days working with young boxers, continuing the South Texas tradition of producing some of America's finest fighters.

On behalf of the 28th District of Texas, I would like to again invite my colleagues to recognize Mr. Canizales, a truly legendary Laredoan, and celebrate all his accomplishments.

RECOGNIZING "FIU IN WASHINGTON, D.C." OPENING A NEW STUDENT AND RESEARCH SHOWCASE CENTER IN OUR NATION'S CAPITAL

HON. CARLOS A. GIMENEZ

OF FLORIDA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, November 16, 2022

Mr. GIMENEZ. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize the opening of Florida International University's new student and research showcase center in Washington, D.C. Over the last four decades, FIU has grown exponentially to become one of the top universities in the state of Florida. It is now one of the fastest-rising universities in the nation. Today's opening ceremony is yet another example of how the university continues to invest in its students well beyond South Florida.

This new facility—a first-of-its-kind academic and briefing center—is part of an integrated advocacy approach called "FIU in Washington, D.C." It aims at both further developing FIU's national reputation and expanding fed-

eral support for the university's preeminent programs. The 5,000 square foot space will give FIU students studying and interning in D.C. access to federal research programs and other resources. It will also allow FIU faculty to collaborate with federal partners and showcase the impact of their research on several areas of study that especially pertain to South Floridians—including environmental and coastal resilience, population health, Latin America and the Caribbean, defense-related engineering technologies, and STEM research.

In addition, the research center will allow students, faculty, and alumni to host national workshops and conferences tailored towards federal policy initiatives. Its proximity to the United States Capitol will give FIU student-interns a better grasp of current legislation, as well as the chance to meet with elected officials. This new center will push the university further to the forefront of national excellence. I am proud to represent Florida International University and look forward to seeing it continue to expand and excel in our Nation's capital. Go Panthers.

HONORING NEW YORK AGRI-
CULTURE LEADER RICHARD
MCGUIRE

HON. ELISE M. STEFANIK

OF NEW YORK

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Ms. STEFANIK. Madam Speaker, I rise today to honor and celebrate Richard "Dick" McGuire for his dedication and service to the New York State agricultural community.

Dick was born in 1922 and raised on his family farm in Jackson, New York. Given his family's deep agricultural roots and his interest in football, Dick attended SUNY Morrisville and studied animal science while playing college football. Despite his passion for sports, Dick turned down an offer to try out for the Philadelphia Eagles, instead choosing to work on a farm throughout college.

Upon graduating, Dick fully dedicated his time to working on his family's farm. In just a short period, he expanded it from 65 acres to 440 acres. He soon became involved in local affairs, leading to him become the President of the New York State Farm Bureau from 1970 to 1984.

In 1988, he was appointed by the Governor to serve as New York Commissioner of Agriculture and Markets, where he served for seven years. He later advised numerous national leaders and Presidents, including Richard Nixon, Gerald Ford, Jimmy Carter, and Ronald Reagan on issues important to farmers and agriculture. For his exceptional service to New York State and the country, Dick was named Outstanding Commissioner of Agriculture by the National Biotech Industry and given the Distinguished Service to Agriculture Award by the American Farm Bureau.

Dick and his wife, Polly, currently operate the Penope Farm in New York. Their farm includes twelve museum collections of farming equipment and tools dating back to the 1800s. His efforts have been instrumental in educating New Yorkers about the history and importance of farming. Dick still collects items, each one meticulously documented and arranged, and regularly hosts visitors.

Dick has been an instrumental leader in the Upstate New York agricultural community, a dedicated public servant, a true historian, and a farmer at heart. His work on behalf of New York farmers and agriculture has made significant impact on his community, state, and country. He continues to inspire generations through his important documentation and collection of historical objects to tell the story of the evolution of American agriculture and rural life. On behalf of New York's 21st Congressional District, I would like to congratulate Dick on his 100th birthday, wish him well in his years to come, and thank him for his continued leadership and inspiration.

RECOGNIZING THE 40TH
ANNIVERSARY COMER MUSEUM

HON. MIKE ROGERS

OF ALABAMA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, November 16, 2022

Mr. ROGERS of Alabama. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize the 40th Anniversary of Comer Museum in the heart of Sylacauga, Alabama.

The Comer Museum has been home to the Third Congressional District Art Competition for years and I appreciate their partnership with us to help recognize our great young artists across East Alabama.

A celebration will be held on October 22nd to honor the 40 years of art the museum has brought to the area.

Madam Speaker, please join me in recognizing my friends at the Comer Museum and wishing them a happy 40th anniversary.

HONORING JOHN CLAUSER

HON. MARK DeSAULNIER

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, November 16, 2022

Mr. DeSAULNIER. Madam Speaker, I rise today to recognize John Clauser for receiving the Nobel Prize in Physics.

John Clauser was born in Pasadena, California and obtained his Bachelor of Science in Physics at the California Institute of Technology. John then went to Columbia University in New York City, where he received both a Master of Arts and a Doctor of Philosophy in Physics. He then came back to the Bay Area to work at the University of California, Berkeley, Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory, and Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory. He is current a resident of California's 11th Congressional District.

While at UC Berkeley, John carried out the first experimental test of the Clauser-Horne-Shimony-Holt Bell Theorem predictions, which was the first experimental observation of a violation of a Bell Inequality. The Bell Inequalities was a mathematical relationship that would be satisfied by a hidden variable theory in which measurement of one particle would not instantly affect the properties of the other particle, which John became interested in as he began experimental testing. John worked with Stuart Freedman to publish the first experimental test of the Bell Inequalities in 1972, and their results showed a clear violation of